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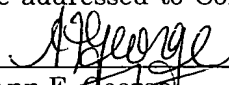
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Title: POS System, Method of Billing for Advertisements Printed on Receipts, and Computer-Readable Medium Storing the Method

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AMENDMENT C

(Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 9, 2004, applicants submit herewith the corrected "Amendment to the claims" section of applicants' Amendment C filed December 5, 2003.

If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore together with authorization to change Deposit Account No. 19-2746 for any extension fee.